

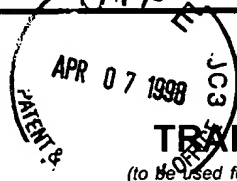
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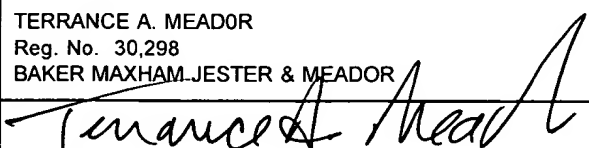
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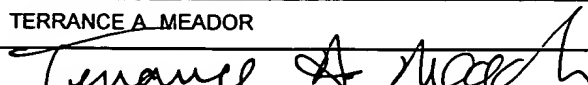
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147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
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121 270	221 135	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application	
141 1,320	241 660	Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application	
142 1,320	242 660	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143 450	243 225	Design issue fee	
144 670	244 335	Plant issue fee	
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
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